



## LAW OF KENTUCKY.

An ACT for settling and improving the vacant lands of this commonwealth.

Approved December 20, 1800.

WHEREAS it is represented to this assembly, that there is still in this state large quantities of vacant land which by being occupied by the citizens thereof, whose interest it may be to hold it, or by any citizens of the United States or foreigners, who being thereby encouraged to reside thereon, will greatly add to the population, wealth and consequence of this state.

Sec. 1. Be it enacted by the general assembly of this commonwealth, that it shall be lawful for any free person of the description aforesaid, above the age of eighteen years, to improve, occupy and hold of the vacant lands aforesaid, four hundred acres; provided that he or the actual settlers and resides thereon; provided that no person who now holds any land obtained by certificate under any act of the assembly of this state, for encouraging and granting relief to settlers south of Green river, shall be authorized to appropriate under this act, more than two hundred acres, in addition to the quantity which he may have acquired under the laws aforesaid.

Sec. 2. Be it further enacted, that where any person shall hereafter settle himself on any vacant land, as aforesaid, he shall, within three months after such settlement, apply to the court of the county in which such settlement is made, and upon proving to them that he actually made such settlement, be entitled to a certificate for the quantity of land to which he may be entitled to under this act, including such settlement in which said certificate shall be contained, a special location, describing as accurately as may be the land contemplated to be included in said certificate, a duplicate of which said certificate shall be made out by the clerk and delivered to the claimant; who shall pay to the said clerk one shilling therefor.

Sec. 3. And be it further enacted, that the person obtaining such certificates, shall within twelve months after the date thereof, upon producing the same to the register of the land office, and paying to the treasurer at the rate of twenty dollars per hundred acres, shall be entitled to a warrant for the same, in which warrant shall be contained the location as specified in the certificate, for which warrant the proprietor shall pay to the register twenty five cents.

Sec. 4. And be it further enacted, that the said warrant shall be located within six months after the date thereof, with the surveyor of the county in which the lands may lie in the words of the certificate, and shall cause the same to be surveyed within twelve months thereafter, for which a patent shall issue upon paying the usual fees, as in other cases.

Sec. 5. And be it further enacted, that no location or survey which shall be made in virtue of this act, shall in its length exceed its breadth more than one third, unless interrupted by prior claims only.

Sec. 6. And be it further enacted, that in all contests by settlers under this act, those who first did actually and bona fide settle and reside on said lands, shall have the preference. And all persons who may have actually settled themselves as aforesaid, prior to the passage of this act, shall be entitled to the provisions thereof, and shall on or before the first day of August next obtain their certificates from the county courts as aforesaid.

Sec. 7. And be it further enacted, that every person obtaining a certificate under this act, shall before he obtains a patent therefor, actually and bona fide settle and reside thereon two years, during which time no alignment or transfer shall be lawful.

Sec. 8. And be it further enacted, that if any person who now has or shall hereafter settle on any vacant lands, as aforesaid, and shall not obtain from the county court his certificate; or when obtained shall not obtain from the register his warrant therefor within twelve months as aforesaid, it shall be lawful for any other person immediately to procure a certificate for the said land and having paid the amount of the money due, to obtain a warrant therefor, survey the same and carry it into grant.

Nothing in this act shall be so construed as to authorize any person or persons to locate any salt lick or spring, or any mine of mineral or ore, with one thousand acres of land, around the same, including the said lick or spring in the centre of a square to be bounded by lines running to the cardinal points.

Lexington, December 29.

John Turner, who was confined in the jail and penitentiary house, under a charge of horse-stealing, and escaped, but voluntarily returned to confinement, has again eloped. It is however confidently believed by some, that he will again return.

Two prisoners who were confined in the Franklin district jail, to await trial—one a white man, on a charge of murder—the other a man of color, confined for theft, have also escaped.

From a Correspondent.

### OBITUARY.

#### MEMENTO MORI.

Died lately, at Frankfort, from great Constitutional weakness, the political Infant, commonly called, the "lawyers' boy." The tragical history of this unfortunate child, is sufficient to draw the tear of sympathy from every human eye.—When it came into the world, its countenance was so evidently flamed with the superannuated features of its true parent, as well as with every symptom of intellectual debility, which it derived from the midwife, a very near relation, who took care of its introduction into life, that it was very generally conceived to have been born a natural fool.—Relations, however, do not view their near connections in this light. The infant was supposed to have merit; and with this partiality on the part of the Granny, to whose especial care it devolved, it was introduced to the world, for support and protection, and notwithstanding its many defects, found some friends.—This humanity, however, was in a great measure owing to the evident inability of the midwife, to support it.—After occasioning infinite trouble and expense to its friends, it was secured, for a short time, from the jaws of death by the unremitting care, bestowed on its health. It obtained some vigour; so that hopes were entertained of its recovery, from its natural maladies, it was put out for further improvement, among strangers.—The seeds of disease, however, were not entirely eradicated.—A relapse took place.—It was sent home to its friends and relation, the Midwife, with such dismal symptoms of approaching dissolution, that it was abandoned to its unhappy fate. Its friends no longer acknowledged it.—The old Lady started as if at a "Goblin damned!" and the unhappy infant sank to the grave, beneath the pious lamentations of its broken hearted relations.—

It is said that so great has been the trouble in maintaining the existence of this unfortunate child, together with the grief experienced on the part of the benevolent old Granny, that she is about to decline the profession forever.—Notwithstanding its deceptiveness, it was so highly valued by its doating parents, that it has cost the state between 4 and 500 dollars, to prolong an existence, which nature intended to deny it.

### BY YESTERDAY'S MAIL.

#### Congress of the United States.

President's Reply to the Answer of the House of Representatives.

Mr. Speaker, and Gentlemen of the House of Representatives.

Compelled by the habits of a long life, as well as by all the principles of society and government, which I could ever understand and believe, to consider the great body of the people as the source of all legitimate authority, no less than of all efficient powers, it is impossible for me to receive this address from the immediate representatives of the American people, at this time, and in this place, without emotions which it would be improper to express, if any language could convey them.

May the spirit which animated the great founder of this city, descend to future generations, and may the wisdom, magnanimity and steadiness, which marked the events of his public life, be imitated in all succeeding ages.

I thank you gentlemen, for your assurance, that the judiciary system shall receive your deliberate attention.

With you, gentlemen, I sincerely hope, that the final result of the negotiations now pending with France, may prove as fortunate for our country, as they have been commenced with sincerity, and prosecuted with deliberation and caution.

With you, I cordially agree, that so long as a predatory war is carried on against our commerce, we should sacrifice the interests, and disappoint the expectations of our constituents, should we for a

moment, relax that system of maritime defence, which has resulted in such beneficial effects. With you, I confidently believe, that few persons are to be found within the United States, who do not admit, that a navy well organized, must constitute the natural and efficient defence of this country, against all foreign hostility.

Those who recollect the distresses and danger to this country, in former periods, from the want of arms, must exult in the assurance, from their representatives, that we shall soon rival foreign countries, not only in the number, but in the quality of the arms completed from our own manufacturers.

With you, gentlemen, I fully agree, that the great increase of revenue, is a proof that the measures of maritime defence were founded in wisdom. This policy has raised us in the esteem of foreign nations. That national spirit, and those latent energies, which had not been, and are not yet fully known to any, were not entirely forgotten by those, who had lived long enough to see in former times, their operation, and some of their effects; our fellow citizens were undoubtedly prepared to meet every event, which national honor, or national security could render necessary. There it is to be hoped, are secured at the cheapest and earliest rate. If not, they will be secured at more expense.

I thank you gentlemen, for your assurance, that the various subjects recommended to your consideration, shall receive your deliberate attention. No farther evidence is wanting to convince me of the zeal and sincerity with which the house of representatives regard the public good.

I pray you, gentlemen, to accept of my best wishes for your health and happiness.

JOHN ADAMS.

Washington, Nov. 27, 1800.

### ANSWER.

Of the Senate to the President's speech.

TO JOHN ADAMS,

President of the United States.

SIR,

Impressed with the important truth, that the hearts of rulers and people are in the hand of the Almighty, the Senate of the United States most cordially join in your invocations for appropriate blessings upon the government and people of this Union.

We meet you, Sir, and the other branch of the national legislature, in the city, which is honored by the name of our late, hero and sage, the illustrious Washington, with sentiments and emotions, which exceed our power of description.

While we congratulate ourselves on the convention of the legislature at the permanent seat of government; and ardently hope that permanence and stability may be communicated as well to the government itself, as to its seat; our minds are irresistibly led to deplore the death of him who bore so honorable and efficient a part in the establishment of both.

Great indeed would have been our gratification, if this sum of earthly happiness, had been completed, by feeling the government thus peacefully convened at this place; but we derive consolation from a belief that a moment in which we are destined to experience the woes we deplore, was fixed by that being whose counsels cannot err; and from a hope, that since in this seat of government which bears his name, his earthly remains will be deposited, the members of Congress, and all who inhabit the city, with these memorials before them, will retain his virtues in lively recollection, and make his patriotism, morals and piety, models for imitation.—And permit us to add, Sir, that it is not among the least of our consolations that you, who have been his companion and friend, from the dawning of our national existence, and trained in the same school of exertion to effect our independence, are still preserved, by a gracious Providence, in health and activity, to exercise the functions of chief magistrate.

The question whether the local power over the district of Columbia; vested by the Constitution in the Congress of the United States, shall be immediately exercised, is of great importance, and in deliberating upon it, we shall naturally be led to weigh the attending circumstances and every probable consequence of the measures which may be prepared.

The several subjects for legislative consideration, contained in your speech to both Houses of Congress, shall receive from the Senate all the attention which they can give, when contemplating those objects both in respect to their national importance, and the additional weight that is given them by your recommendation.

We deprecate with you, Sir, all spirit of innovation from whatever quarter it may arise, which may impair the sacred bond that cements the different parts of

this empire; and we trust, that under the protection of Divine Providence, the wisdom and virtue of the citizens of the United States will deliver our national compact unimpaired to a grateful posterity.

From past experience, it is impossible for the Senate of the United States to doubt of your zealous co-operation with the legislature in every effort to promote the general happiness and tranquility of the union.

Accept, Sir, our warmest wishes for your health and happiness.

### THE PRESIDENT'S REPLY.

Mr. President, and

Gentlemen of the Senate,

For this excellent address to respectful to the memory of my illustrious predecessor, which I receive from the Senate of the United States at this time, and in this place, with peculiar satisfaction, I pray you to accept my unfeigned acknowledgements. With you I ardently hope, that permanence and stability will be communicated as well to the government itself, as to its beautiful and commodious seat. With you I deplore the death of that hero and sage who bore so honorable & efficient part in the establishment of both. Great indeed would have been my gratification, if his scene of earthly happiness had been completed by seeing the government thus peacefully convened at this place, himself at its head. But while we submit to the decisions of heaven, whose counsels are infallible to us, we cannot but hope, that the members of congress, the officers of government, and all who inhabit the city, and the country, will retain his virtues in lively recollections, and make his patriotism, morals, and piety, models for imitation.

I thank you, gentlemen, for your assurance that the several subjects of legislative consideration, recommended in my communication to both houses, shall receive from the Senate a deliberate and cordial attention.

With you, gentlemen, I sincerely deplore all spirit of innovation, which may weaken the sacred bonds that connect the different parts of this nation and government, and with you I trust, that under the protection of Divine Providence, the wisdom and virtue of our citizens will deliver our national compact unimpaired, to a free, prosperous happy and great posterity. To this end it is my fervent prayer, that in this city the fountain of wisdom may be always open, and the streams of eloquence for ever flow. Here may the youth of this extensive country for ever look up without disappointment, not only to the monuments and memorials of the dead, but to the examples of the living, in the members of congress, and officers of government, for finished models of virtue graces, talents, and accomplishments, which constitute the dignity of human nature, and lay the only foundation for the prosperity or duration of empires.

JOHN ADAMS.

City of Washington, Nov. 26 1800.

### BALTIMORE, December 2.

#### SUICIDE.

On Monday evening, the 10th inst. a young man 18 years of age, by the name of James Burt, living with Lieut. Noah B. Kimball, of Grafton, shot himself. He originated from the shaking quakers at Shirley. He left them about 18 months ago. On a recent visit to his parents, he was with unkind reception. This unnatural treatment is the only reason that can be assigned for his premature death. He was not permitted to see his mother, and was treated with great coldness by his father. Such is the absurdity of these fealties that they renounce parental affection, and act contrary to the dictates of reason, and religion.

[Boston Pap.]

### ALEXANDRIA, November 29.

The British Minister Mr. Liffiton, has obtained from his court leave of absence of this country for two years. He has set off for Norfolk where he is to take shipping in the frigate Andromache, for the West Indies. He is to be succeeded by Mr. Merry, the present Charge de Affairs for the British government in Sweden.

### PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 4.

#### OUR ENVOYS.

Nov. 26, October 8.

The Envys of the American Government, whose object it is to perfect the work of reconciliation, desired by all the civil and military authorities eager to render their homage to an allied nation, acknowledged since the year 1778, as the most sincere friends of the French nation. A guard of honor, of 50 men, has been

sent to them; for which they returned thanks according to custom. They would already have set sail if contrary winds had not retarded the departure of the American Frigate Portsmouth. The calm will keep them here eight days."

The Rhode-Island papers, received by this day's mail, give the complete return for electors, by which it appears, that the federal ticket has carried by a majority of 254.

ELIZABETH-TOWN, Dec. 4.

We have seen a letter of a late date, from a gentleman in London, professed of the most correct information who says, that in his opinion, the prospect of an accommodation between this country and England, in relation to the 6th article of the British treaty, is at an end, and that he fears the difference between the contracting parties will not be soon terminated.

(Wab. Pap.)

LANCASTER, December 3.

Statement of votes for President & Vice President.

	Adams.	Jeffr.	Pick.	Burr.	Scott.
New-Hampshire,	6	0	4	0	2
Massachusetts,	16	0	10	2	6
Connecticut,	9	0	9	0	2
Vermont,	4	0	2	0	2
Rhode-Island,	4	0	4	0	2
New-York,	0	12	0	12	2
New-Jersey,	7	0	7	0	2
Pennsylvania,	7	8	7	8	2
Delaware,	3	0	3	0	2
Maryland,	5	5	5	5	2
Virginia,	0	21	0	21	2
North-Carolina,	4	8	4	8	2
South-Carolina,	0	8	0	8	2
Georgia,	0	4	0	4	2
Kentucky,	0	4	0	4	2
Tennessee,	0	3	0	3	2
	65	73	63	65	10

The preceding calculation is made upon authoritative information. The republicans have, beyond all doubt, succeeded in procuring a respectable majority in favor of Mr. Jefferson. The project of the British party, adherents of Alexander Hamilton, was well known to Mr. Adams, previous to his leaving Braintree; and he counted upon losing every vote in South-Carolina, through their intrigues—but, to parry this stroke, he engaged his friends in New-England, before he left home, to drop Mr. Pinckney, 10 votes, viz. 2 in New-Hampshire, 6 in Massachusetts, and two in Vermont. This circumstance has been long known; but the secret has been preserved, in order to prevent British seduction. The election being over, we now come forward, and avow the facts to be as stated, upon the authority of the most confidential friend in Mr. Adams' own family. It was communicated in these words:

"My friend was determined that he would not be thrown out by a Pinckney. But aware of the deception which was to take place in South-Carolina, he had engaged his friends in New-England, to drop C. C. Pinckney, by at least 10 votes, securing to himself a majority of 2, in any event."

Mr. Adams and Mr. Burr, will be candidates for the Vice-Presidency; and as they have each an equal number of votes, the senate of the United States are to choose one of them, by ballot, to be the Vice-President.

Thus, Alexander Hamilton, and his Anglo-Federal tool, C. C. Pinckney, are completely defeated, by a Federal counter-project, in which all American Federalists, as well as the pure Democrats, have occasion to rejoice.

J. H. DAVIS,

ATTORNEY,

HAS fixed his permanent residence in Frankfort. His clients may always meet him there, except during the terms of the Lexington, Danville and Bardstown District courts, which he will continue to attend. Letters on business sent by the mail (postage paid) will be punctually attended to.

3<sup>rd</sup> Frankfort, Dec. 1800.

JUST OPENING,

AND FOR SALE IN LEXINGTON,  
A General Assortment of

DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, HARD WARE, & QUEENS WARE.  
Which will be sold low for CASH OR WHEAT delivered at the subscriber's Mill, no credit need be asked.

GEORGE TEGARDEN.

Dec. 29th 1800.

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A LOG CHAIN—FOUND.  
The owner may hear of it by applying to the printer hereof.

A variety of  
Coatings, Sounding-boards, Corduroy, Quilts,  
Hats, Muslins, Hard-Ware,  
and other

EUROPEAN GOODS.

Just imported, will be sold by public vendue, at the next court in Lexington, (on the second Monday in January 1801,) in quantities suited for private use.

N. B. Any one may be previously furnished low for cash,—at the brick house, in high street, Lexington, lately the residence of Mr. MACLEAN.

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A BAY HORSE

Two years old last spring, well grown, a large star in his forehead, has been rode, no brand perceptible, is now at Green Clay's ferry on the Kentucky river, the owner may get him by applying at that place.

GEORGE KERR.

Dec. 27th 1800. \*tw

A TAKE NOTICE.

I HEREBY forewarn all persons from taking an assignment on a bond given by me, David Hanna, of Woodford county, unto Josiah East, of Lincoln county, as I am determined not to pay until compelled by law as he has failed to comply with his contract.

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ELECTION.

A POLL will be opened at the courthouse, the first Saturday in January next, at two o'clock P. M. for the election of seven trustees for the ensuing year.

By order of the board,

R. PATTERSON, Chm.

Lexington, Dec. 20, 1800. 2

LANDS FOR SALE.

I am authorized to sell two tracts of LAND.

IN Madison county conveyed by Saml. Elill to Eli Williams. One tract contains 250 acres lying on the south side of and adjoining the Kentucky river opposite the Copers tick.—The other tract also contains 250 acres, granted as aforesaid; this tract lies about half a mile below the former, they were located and surveyed at an early period by Joseph Lang, and regularly conveyed by him to Elill. They are above Boonborough, and are said to be of a good quality and well situated; one of the tracts has a tenant at present.

I will also sell 1557 acres of LAND on Big Reedy, patented to Jacob Ambrose of Bairdton, in two grants; and 2000 acres on Beaver Creek a branch of the main fork of Licking Bourbon county.

Any person inclining to purchase either of the above tracts of LAND, may know the terms by applying to the subscriber in Lexington.

C. Beatty.

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Dec. 25th 1800.

RAN AWAY

FROM the subscriber, two apprentices boys, viz. John Hart, about nine teen years of age, pale complexion, chunky made, and not well grown. Also Benjamin Hart, his brother. Whoever will take them up, and secure them, so that the subscriber gets them again, shall have a reward of fifty cents for John, and one hundred and twenty-five cents for Benjamin. All persons are hereby cautioned not to harbour them as they may expect to answer the same at the rigor of the law.

2w<sup>t</sup> JOHN FOX, sen.

Madison County, December 2d, 1800.

JUST PUBLISHED,

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THE KENTUCKY

POCKET ALMANAC,

For the Year 1801.

Printed on Fine Writing Paper.

Containing (besides the Astronomical calculations common to Almanacs.)

The remarkable occurrences during the American Revolution. A list of Officers of the General Government, with salaries annexed: A list of the Members of the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States: A list of the Officers of the Government of Kentucky; The times when the different Courts are held in Kentucky, and the appropriations for the support of the civil list of the General Government for the Year 1800.

WHERE ALSO MAY BE HAD

THE KENTUCKY

FAMILY ALMANAC,

Which with the above, are the only Almanacs offered for sale in this state, in which the Astronomical calculations are made for the Meridian and Latitude of Kentucky. In all others, the Eclipses the rising and setting of the Sun, the fulls changes and quarters of the Moon and the Moons place in the signs, &c differ materially from truth.

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Lexington, 8th Dec. 1800.

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A JUST OPENING,

AND FOR SALE IN LEXINGTON,

A General Assortment of

DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, HARD WARE, & QUEENS WARE.

Which will be sold low for CASH OR WHEAT delivered at the subscriber's Mill, no credit need be asked.

GEORGE TEGARDEN.

Dec. 29th 1800.

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A LOG CHAIN—FOUND.

The owner may hear of it by applying to the printer hereof.

STRAYED  
FROM MY LOT IN LEXINGTON,

2 THREE COWS,

THE one white, with a few black

marks about her head and fore legs

—another black, with a few white marks

—and a third red, with a little white.

The white Cow, formerly belonged to

Maj. Thomas Hall, who lived here Walker

Baylor now lives, and the black and white Cow I got of Richard Tomlin,

near the same place, it is probable the red and black Cows, may have calved

since they strayed. If any person takes

up these Cows, and will give me information of it, I will pay all costs and charges.

James Hughes.

Lexington, Dec. 15th, 1800.

LAND FOR SALE.

I AM authorized by gentlemen of reputeability in Philadelphia, to sell about one hundred and eighty thousand acres of

2 LAND,

in different parts of this state,—some of it

MILITARY LANDS south of Green

river.—The payments will be made easy,

I will take a small part in CASH, the

balance in HORSES, FLOUR, HEMP

or TOBACCO; or allow a credit for

three fourths of the purchase money, pay

able in one, two and three years.—A de

scription of the LAND, and particulars

of the terms may be had by applying to

me in Lexington.

Tbos. Bodley.

December 20th, 1800.

2 Lexington Library Company.

AT a meeting of the Lexington Li

brary Committee, December 13th,

1800, in was

Resolved, that notice be given to the

Sharers, by Public Advertisement, that

agrees to an act passed during the

present session of Assembly, entitled "An

act to incorporate the Share-Holders and

Directors of the Lexington, Georgetown,

and Danville Libraries", a meeting will

be held at the house of John M'Nair, in

the town of Lexington, on the first

Saturday in January 1801, for the purpose

of electing Five Directors for the

ensuing year, and to do such other acts as

may be deemed necessary and agreeable

to law.—And that as the presence of a

particular number is necessary, before they

can proceed to business, Resolved fur

ther, that they be required to be

punctual in their attendance.

By order,

Tro. T. BARR, Cirk.

2 Members are requested to attend

at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, precisely.

FOR SALE,

A SEMINARY LOT, No. 10,

SIX miles from Lexington, on the

Hickman road;

2 SEVENTY ACRES OF FIRST RATE

LAND;

well watered and timbered; thirty two

cleared, two of which are in meadow;

about sixty bearing peach trees; a good

dwelling house and kitchen, with stone

chimneys; also a good barn and stable.

I will take one good Negro in part

payment, and the balance in Good Liquor—

apply to

JOHN CROSS,

Lexington.

December 16th, 1800.

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A Favorable Opportunity

I S again offered those indebted to JOHN

JORDAN Jun. to discharge their

revenue balances, as

Hemp, Wheat, Flour, &

Wheat, & Tobacco,

Will be taken in payment.—This method

is preferred to the disagreeable alterna

tive of bringing suits, and will be a means

of saving those that are delinquent, much

expence. 'Tis therefore expected that

they will avail themselves of this opportu

nity, nor longer postpone the payment

of their just debts.

John Jordan jun.

Lexington, 8th Dec. 1800.

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AN ELEGANT

Additional assortment of

MERCHANDISE,

Just received by

John Jordan jun. & Co.

Lexington, 8th Dec. 1800.

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2 TAKEN up by the subscriber, living

on Hinkton, two miles from Miller

burgh, a black horse, three years old,

fourteen hands high, branded on the near

shoulder thus L, the near fore foot, and

the off hind foot white, marked with the

initials, appraised to 81.

CLEMENT ROSS.

October 16th, 1800.

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THE SUBSCRIBERS

HAVE the satisfaction of informing their customers and others, that in consequence of an arrangement made by JOHN JORDAN Jun. they will be enabled to purchase the following articles of produce this season, viz.

HEMP, WHEAT, FLOUR,

AND TOBACCO,

For which they will give such prices as their present engagements and prospect will justify, which they hope will be found as liberal as any.

But as they have undertaken this business, with prospects indeed, too trifling even to compensate them for their services, they hope at least, to meet with better encouragement than what has heretofore been allotted by the Planters and Farmers of this state, to those who exported their Produce, and that a proper distinction will be made in favor of them, who, at all times have exerted themselves to embrace every opportunity of serving the Planters, &c.

It is with the utmost reluctance they take notice of an incontrovertible truth, that so far from meeting the encouragement due to their exertions, they have hitherto had the mortification to find that a preference was at all times given (unless when payment was made in produce) to others, who sold for cash only—in consequence of which, they had determined to pursue the same system of Commerce that is now so loudly complained of by the Citizens at large, so long at least, until their competitors should either be obliged to undergo the same risks and trouble, or the Farmer and Planter take a more extensive view of his real interest—but being anxious to avoid their proportion of general censure, and to make their occupation as useful as possible, they have once more receded from their resolution, determined to purchase the productions of the soil, and trust to the liberality of the Farmer and Planter, to obviate those complaints in future.

The conditions on which they intend to take produce, are, the cash prices of the several articles—in return, they will continue to sell their goods at their usual low prices, for cash or produce. Those who may have more produce than would be convenient for them to take in goods, shall receive cash, by allowing a reasonable credit, but no payments will be made either in goods or cash, until the delivery of the articles, and it is further expected that none will solicit an advance, as it is impossible for them (in consequence of the numerous disappointments heretofore experienced) either to discriminate, or to deviate from this rule.

JOHN A SEITZ,

JOHN JORDAN Jun. & Co.

N. B. By the above arrangements there can be no cause for suspecting us of selling higher, and consequently we flatter ourselves with a continuance of the custom of those who shall wish to purchase for cash.

GOOD NEWS.

I AM a neat Taylor, my charges are low,

Which I am desirous the public should know;

A neat suit of clothes, for Three Dollars,

I make,

When the clothes are deliver'd, the money I take;

To ev'ry one punctual, who doth me employ,

Of those who have tried me, not one will deny—

On Main Street, in Lexington, now I abide,

Next door to Brent's Tavern, and on the same side.

LLOYD HOLMES.

Dec. 22d, 1800.

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FRESH MEDICINE.

Just arrived from Philadelphia, at our shop, near the Stray-Pen, Lexington, and to be sold for CASH, Fine Linen, or Flax-Seed.

ANDW. MC CALLA & Co.

29th November.

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TAKEN up by the subscriber living on Lions run, one brown colored filly, about thirteen hands and a half high, neither docked nor branded, has a star in her forehead; appraised to 61.

ALSO one foal yearling horse colt, about thirteen hands high, neither docked nor branded, has a star in his forehead; appraised to 6 dollars.

Wm. DEVENPORT.

Mercer County, 5th Dec. 1800.

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SACRED TO THE MUSES.

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O, Popularity, thou giddy thing,  
What grace, or profit dost thou bring?  
Thou art not honest; thou art not tame;  
I cannot call the by a worthy name;  
To say I hate thee, were not true,  
Contempt is properly thy due;  
I cannot love thee, and despise the too.  
Thou art no patriot, but the veriest cheat,  
That ever traff'd in deceit  
In state emp'lic, bellowing loud  
Freedom and phrenzy to the mobbing crowd;  
And what car'lt thou, if thou canst raise  
Illuminations and buzzes,  
Tho' half the country funk in one bright blaze?

A patriot; no, for thou dost hold in hate  
The very peace and welfare of the state;  
When anarchy afflicts the Sovereign's throne;

Then is the day, the night thy own,  
Then is thy triumph, when the foe  
Leaves some dark ominous blow;

Or strong rebellion lays the country low.

Thou caust affect humility to hide  
Some deep device of monstrous pride  
Confidence and charity pretend  
For compassing lone private end  
And in a canting conventicle note  
Long scripture parages can quote  
When persecution rankles in thy throat,

Then haft no sense of nature at thy heart  
No ear for science and no eye for art,  
Yet confidently dost decide at once  
This man a wit, and that a dunce;  
And, strange to tell, how e'er unjust  
We takes thy disputes upon trust,  
For, if the world will be deceived, it must.

In truth and justice thou haft no delight;  
Virtue thou dost not know by sight;  
But as the chmifh by his skill  
From dross and dregs a spirit can distil,  
Lo from the profisons or the flows,  
Blies, blasphemers, cheats and Jews,  
Shall turn to heroes, if they serv'd thy views.

Thou dost but make a ladder of the mob  
Whereby to climb into some courtly job  
There, safe repoling, warm and tning,  
Thou art wretched, with a patient thng:  
Miscreans, begone, who cares for you,  
Ye base born, brawling, clamorous crew;  
You've serv'd my turn, and, vagabonds adieu.

ANECDOTE.

An honest school master near London, having a wife whom he loved very affectionately, was to unfortunate as to perceive that he conceived a tenue for a smart young fellow whom he engaged as usher. The poor man was rendered fo miserable, by the perfidy and ingratitude of his ribs, that he determined to destroy himself!—This resolution, after some pre-fatory reprobations, he communicated to his wife, declaring that he would that moment tuck himself up with his neck-club. To this the afflicated lady replied, "Ahas! my dear, consider that neck-club is very old, and can never sustain your weight. Do stop a moment, my love till I reach you your new cravat!"

LANDS TO SELL

At a Reasonable Price, viz.  
1892 1/2 acres, a tract of land bounded on the N. by Red river, on the N. by Beaver creek, and a branch of State, the tract includes the whole Indian creek and its branches which afford many flats for mills; it is well timbered and watered with a great abundance of running water, besides timbered flats, it is full of very good soil for cultivation, the brook is intermixed with many hedges, with little trouble and a small expense valuable profits out of cultivation may be got in some part of the title in dispute.

1164 1/2 acres, on the N. side of the North fork of Rock-Castle river, about 8 miles from the mouth, running up the river with the meanders thereof 11000 poles when reduced to a straight line, the soil pretty level and rich. The title in dispute.

236 1/2 acres, on the waters of the North fork of Rock-Castle river, Madison county.

300 acres, in Garretson's tract, White Oak river, about 10 miles of Hickman C. S. W. the road to Danville crosses the tract N. E. & S. W. the road to 2 miles, 1/2 of a very early entry.

418 acres, military land on the bank of Cumberland river joining the town of Clarksville well watered and timbered.

46 1/2 acres, and lot lots in the said town of Clarksville.

600 acres, of land in several small grants reserved by the state of Virginia, and confirmed by two acts of Congress, lying on the bank of the river Kentucky, near the town of the same name, territory N. W. of the Ohio.

200 acres, military land in the Illinois grant N. W. of the Ohio, 918 poles from the river and opposite 12 miles inland, lies about 25 miles above Louisville, the tract is not far from a flourishing settle-ment.

N. B. Notice, Producers, Merchants, Lotrs & Horsemasters, Lexington, Paris or Danville will be taken in part, a good plantation between Lexington and Mount Sterling will command a profitable price for the purchase of a considerable quantity of said lands. For further information apply to

P. D. Robert,  
High street Lexington.

LIST RECEIVED,  
And for sale at this Office, the following  
BOOKS & PAMPHLETS,  
Which will be sold at the prices thereto  
annexed, viz—

BOUND BOOKS.

Political.

Juning Recensions,  
Burke's Letters,  
Annual Register for 1795,  
Politics for the People, 2 vols.  
Lie President's Message to Congress, relative  
to France and Great Britain,  
Lyons' Magazine,  
The Anti-slavery or the National Char-  
acter of the English and French by J. J.  
de Junier,  
Society Club,  
Political Clauses, 3 vols.  
T. B. P. & C. Politics,  
T. B. P. & C. Politics,  
Defense of Utah,  
Common sense,

Moral.

White's Sermons,  
Life of Christ, 2 vols.  
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Price's Catechism,  
Hart's Misticisms,  
Watts' Miscellanies,  
Death & Vision,  
William's Sacramental Meditations,  
Apologetic Writings,  
Dane's Rites and Progress,  
Burke's Life of Nelson,  
Jordan's Uncharitable Riches,  
Wether's Sermons,  
Divine Beatitudes,  
Buyan's Visions,  
Jesu's Token, Token for Mourning,  
Epitaph Confession of Faith,

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Blainville's Travels, 3 vols.  
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Ferm's Euclid,  
Galton's Annotated Nature, 4 vols.  
Practical Farmer, 2 vols.  
Description of Tennessie,  
Prizer's Assistant,  
Dramatic Diagnoses,

PAMPHLETS.

Political.

The American Crisis,  
Right of Man for mankind,  
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Description of Tennessie,  
Prizer's Assistant,  
Dramatic Diagnoses,

TO RENT.

AT the crofing of main Eagle creek, fifteen miles from Georgetown, on the road to Cincinnati, a large house, 10 rooms, 2 stories, 100 feet long, four good fire places, a good larder, good kitchen, with a number of useful cabbinis; about thirty acres of cleared land, ten of which is meadow, two grats lots joining the house, and a large garden, the place for a public-house & range for flocks; is generally known. Possession can be had immediately—the terms may be known by applying to Mr. Warren 16, George town or to the subscriber Frankfort.

John Hunter.

N. B. Any person renting immediately, can be furnished with a quantity of winter vegetables.

INFORMATION,

TANNING,

In Springfield, Washington County, and will buy or exchange leather of any kind for Hides, or tan on the shores; I will tan Hides that weigh above 55lb. green or 25lb. dry as fowl leather, for one third, if I receive them this year, or the first month in next.

Joseph Jeffs.

October 20th, 1800.

TO LEASE,

5 For one or more years,

A VALUABLE FARM,

OF Ninety or one hundred acres; clear-

land, a good apple and peach orchard,

meadow and pasture, a large log

dwelling-houe, kitchen, barn, stables, &c.

in good repair—situate in Mercer county,

on Salt river, about seven miles below Harrodsburgh.—Also a SMALL FARM

adjoining the farm, to be leased together

or separete.—Also ONE HUNDRED

& FIFTY ACRES OF WOOD-LAND,

to be leased for a term of years proportionate to the improvements perfon who takes the lease may agree to make thereon.

JAMES MAGCOUN.

Lexington, Nov. 18, 1800.

Moral.

Apofistic Union of the Church,

Divine Rightfulness exhibited in the Salva-

tion and Damnation of Sinners,

Age of Reason, 1st and 2d parts,

Watkinson's Examination of Paine's Age of

Reason,

The Search of the Bible by John Fowler,

Watkinson's Letter on the Spirit of Chritian-

ity,

A Revealed Knowledge of the Prophecies,

Exhortation to a Religious Education of

children by the Baptist Churches,

An account of the London Missionary So-

ciety,

Family Exercises,

Mode of Presbyterian Church Worship Vin-

dictated,

The Christian for Youth,

Rufus' Seven Sermons,

Homilies to the Rich and Studios,

The Police,

Annan on Universal Salvation,

Confutation a Poem,

Affecting history of the dreadful diff'rets of

Frederick Maistre's Family and others,

Miscellaneous.

Remarkable deliverance of George Lukens,

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TROTTER & SCOTT,

In addition to their valuable stock on hand, have just received and now offering at their flore, in the brick building opposite the market-houe, a large and general assortment of well chosen

MERCHANDIZE,

Suitable, to the present and approaching seasons, which will certainly be sold on the most moderate terms for CASH IN LAND. Also a supply of all kinds of Groceries, China and Glass Ware, a quantity of excellent Bar-Iron, Crowley and Blister Steel, Casting and Window Glass, Nails of every description, Boulting Cloths suitable for Merchant or Country Work, likewise Mann's Lick Salt of SUPERIOR QUALITY.

They hereby return their thanks to their friends who have hitherto favored them with their custom, and flatter themselves that from a proper and due attention, to meet with a continuation of future favors.

Lexington, Dec. 1st, 1800.

A GREAT BARGAIN  
FOR CASH OR PRODUCE.

IN APPREHENSIVE MANNER I WILL SELL THE  
TWO STOREY

BRICK HOU & LOT,  
TOGETHER, with the improvements thereon, late the property of DANL. GANO, situate in the town of Frankfort, corner of Main Street, & the street which leads to the State Houe.—The terms of payment can be made very easy—Ap-  
ply to Capt. WEISIGER, or  
GEORGE W. FIELD.

PARIS DISTRICT.

October term, 1800.

Henry Clay and George M. Bedinger,  
complainants,

against

Thomas Rowland, defendant,  
IN CHANCERY.

THE defendant not having entered his appearance herein, agreeably to the act of assembly and rules of this court, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the court that he is not an inhabitant of this state, on the motion of the complainants by their counsel, it is ordered that the said defendant do appear here on the third day of the next March term, and answere the complainants' bill; that a copy of this order be published eight weeks successively in some one of the Kentucky Gazettes; another copy posted at the door of the court-house in Paris, and published at the front door of the Presbyterian meeting-house in Paris, some Sunday immediately after divine service.

A Copy,

THO. ARNOLD, CLK.

NEGROES TO HIRE.

ON the first day of January 1801, will be hired to the highest bidder for one year, at the plantation of John Young, deceased, on Hickman, a number of

NEGRES,  
CONSISTING OF  
MEN, WOMEN, BOYS, & GIRLS,  
belonging to the estate of said Young. Bond and security will be required, and they will not be hired to any person out of the Counties of Fayette and Jessamine.

John Glover.

December 8th, 1800.

War Department,

NOVEMBER 13, 1800.

THOSE Gentlemen who have applied for a Commission to be appointed in the United States, are informed that their applications with all the recommended letters accompanying were confirmed by fire in the War Office on Saturday evening last. Those who desire to be considered as candidates will see the propriety of renewing their applications.

SAMUEL DEXTER,  
Secretary at War.

The printers in the different states are requested to give this a place in their Gazettes.

NOTICE.

WE shall attend with the Commissioners appointed by the County Court of Fayette, on the seventh day of January next, on a military survey of 2000 Acres, surveyed for David Bell, July the 10th, 1775 a part of which lies in Jessamine County and a part in Fayette, on South Elkhorn.

At the smith shop of John Bodley at eleven o'clock in the forenoon and from thence proceed to the Land to perpetuate the boundaries, &c. of the said survey and to do such other things as are necessary and agreeable to an act of assembly entituled, "an act to reduce into one the several acts to ascertain the boundaries of and for procuring lands."

John & James Bell,  
Heirs of David Bell,  
December the 11th, 1800.